



PATENT
Docket No. 59405US002

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Scott A. BURTON et al.) Group Art Unit: 1714
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Serial No.: 10/728,439) Examiner: V. Ronesi
Confirmation No.: 9418)
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For: POLYMER COMPOSITIONS WITH BIOACTIVE AGENT, MEDICAL
ARTICLES, AND METHODS

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 19, 2006 and Notice of Appeal filed December 19, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on the page entitled "Amendments to the Claims."

Remarks begin on the page entitled "Remarks."